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In response to the requirement for drawings set forth in the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated November 15, 2001, transmitted herewith is an original and one copy of ten sheets of drawings.

Authorization is hereby given to charge any fees in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 05-1060, should the need arise.

Respectfully submitted,

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### NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

### Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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